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In re the Patent Application of Eric Jensen

Serial No.: 09/899,128

Art Unit: 3661

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Filed: July 6, 2001

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Title: WIRELESS SYSTEM SIGNAL PROPAGATION COLLECTION AND PETITIONS

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Petition for Withdrawal of the Holding of Abandonment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.181(a) inclusive with Exhibit 1 and 2.

If a Petition for an Extension of Time is necessary for the papers transmitted herewith to be timely filed, this transmittal is to be considered as a petition to extend the period by the amount of time needed for the papers to be timely filed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-1679. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Mark C. Comtois

Reg. No. 46,285 L. Lawton Rogers, IN Reg. No. 24,302 Reg. No. 42,514

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Reg. No. 46,255

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Dated: December 22, 2003



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Petition for Withdrawal of the Holding of Abandonment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.181(a)

Sir:

This communication is in response to the "Notice of Abandonment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (f) or (g)" mailed November 25, 2003. The Notice of Abandonment (copy attached at Exhibit 1) alleges that the application was abandoned because of Applicant's failure to file a timely reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts which was mailed on August 22, 2001.

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of abandonment.

The Notice to File Missing Parts requested filing an executed oath or declaration.

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In response to this communication, Applicant filed an executed declaration, a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts and an executed assignment with recordation form. These documents were filed along with a Post Card identifying each document. The Patent Office's stamp dated September 7, 2001, indicates that these documents were received at the Office. A copy of the documents filed along with a copy of the stamped-post card is attached hereto as Exhibit 2.

For these reasons, Applicant respectfully submits that the Notice of Abandonment is unwarranted and requests reconsideration and withdrawal thereof.

Although it is believed that no fee is due for this Petition, the Office is hereby authorized and requested to charge any appropriate fee required for this Petition against Deposit Account No 04-1679.

If any point remains that is deemed best resolved through a telephonic conversation, the Office is hereby requested to contact the undersigned directly.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTY. DOCKET NO./TITLE

09/896,155

06/29/2001

Eric Jensen

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23593 ZITO TLP 26005 RIDGE ROAD **SUITE 203**

DAMASCUS, MD 20872

CONFIRMATION NO. 7420 ABANDONMENT/TERMINATION **LETTER**

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NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed on 08/22/2001.

· No reply was received.

A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNAVOIDABLE DELAY must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the aboveidentified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(I); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNINTENTIONAL DELAY must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the aboveidentified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to the "Office of Petitions" at (703) 305-9282.Petitions should be mailed to: Mail Stop Petitions, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria VA 22313-1450.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



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PATENT APPLICATION

Atty. Dkt. SB14

Applicant : Eric Jensen

Title

: Wireless System Signal Propagation

Collection and Analysis

Ser. No. : 09/899,128

Filed : July 6, 2001

Enclosed are:

Missing Parts Response

signed declaration

assignment w/ recordation form

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION $^{\rm DEC}~3~0~2003$

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- · The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

I certify that the return copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts dated 8/22/01 and the executed declaration are being deposited with the United States Postal Service this 6th day of September, 200, in an envelope addressed with sufficient postage to the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, DC 20231.

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CONFIRMATION NO. 3792 FORMALITIES LETTER *OC000000006458764*

Date Mailed: 08/22/2001

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PART 1 - ATTORNEY/APPLICANT COPY

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DECLARATION UTILITY PATENT

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AS A BELOW NAMED INVENTOR, I hereby each declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated next to my name.

I believe that I am an original, first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

TITLE: WIRELESS SIGNAL PROPAGATION COLLECTION AND ANALYSIS

the specification of which is attached hereto or otherwise accompanies this Declaration.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification including the claims. I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations §1.56.

I hereby claim the benefit under title 35, United States Code, § 120 of the below listed United States applications and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 17, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the effective filing date of this application:

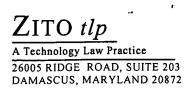
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I hereby claim foreign priority be foreign, PCT or provisional applications:		United States Code, § 119	or §165 of the below listed
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I hereby appoint the following a transact all business in the U.S. Patent & T continuation-in-part, reissue or re-examin substitute an associate attorney or agent, correspondence be addressed to:	rademark Office conruction application, wi	nected therewith and with a th full power of appointme	ny divisional, continuation, ent and with full power to
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I HEREBY DECLARE that all st made on information and belief are believe that willful false statements and the like so 18 of the United States Code and that such patent issued thereon.	d to be true; and furthe	er that these statements were	e made with the knowledge
FULL NAME OF FIRST INVENTOR:	Eric Jensen	Citizenship: <u>USA</u>	JAN 0 8 2004
Inventor's signature: Residence & Post Office Address: 3101 Pi		/3 Juc '0 / lon, Virginia 20171	Technology Center 260
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To the Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks: Please record the attached original documents or copy thereof.				
Name of conveying party(ies):	2. Name and address of receiving party(ies)			
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3. Nature of conveyance:	- BADEMARK			
Assignment	Street Address: 13595 Dullas Technology. Dr			
Security Agreement Change of Name				
Other	Suite 200			
	City: Herndon State: VA - Zip: 20171			
Execution Date: July 13, 2001	Additional name(s) & address(es) attached?			
4. Application number(s) or patent number(s):				
If this document is being filed together with a new appli	cation, the execution date of the approximation			
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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning document should be mailed:	6. Total number of applications and patents involved:			
Name: <u>Joseph J. Zito</u>	7. Total fee (37 CFR 3.41)\$ 40			
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PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE	8. Deposit account number:			
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ASSIGNMENT OF APPLICATION FOR UNITED STATES LETTERS PATENT

WHEREAS Eric Jensen, C/O ScoreBoard, Inc. 13595 Dulles Technology Drive, Suite 200, Herndon, Virginia 20171, hereinafter referred to as the assignor, have invented a certain improvement relating to: WIRELESS SYSTEM SIGNAL PROPAGATION COLLECTION AND ANALYSIS, for which said assignors have caused an application for United States Letters Patent to be prepared, [] the inventor's declaration for said application being executed concurrently with the execution of this instrument; said application to be filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office; []said application having been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on _, Serial Number _ []said application having been filed under the Patent Cooperation Treaty on Serial No._____, the United States of America being designated. AND WHEREAS: ScoreBoard, Inc., 13595 Dulles Technology Drive, Suite 200, Herndon, Virginia 20171, hereinafter referred to as the assignee, is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and in and to said invention and any and all patents which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof; NOW THIS WITNESSETH, that for and in consideration of, ____ and valuable consideration paid by said assignee to said assignors, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, said assignors hereby assign, sells and transfers to said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, the entire and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said application, including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and to said invention and any and all patents which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof; said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, to have, hold, exercise and enjoy the said application including any and all divisions and continuations thereof, and the said invention and any and all patents which may be granted therefor, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, with all the rights, powers, privileges and advantages arising from or appertaining thereto, for and during the term or terms of any and all such patents when granted, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, for the use and benefit of said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, in as ample and beneficial a manner as the said assignors might or could have held and enjoyed the same, if this assignment had not been made, AND said assignors hereby agree to perform, upon the request of said assignee, or said assignee's successors or assigns, any and all acts relating to the obtaining or to the asserting of said patents, including any and all renewals, reissues and prolongations thereof, AND said assignors authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue Letters Patent on said application, and on any and all divisions and continuations thereof, to said assignee, and said assignee's successors and assigns, in accordance herewith. EXECUTED, this day of , 2001. RECEIVED ASSIGNOR: JAN 0 8 2004 Signature: Name: Eric Jensen Technology Center 2600 Address: 3101 Pine Oaks Way

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Mark C. Comtois, Esq. Duane Morris 1667 K Street, NW, Suite 700 Washington, DC 20006

Re:

ScoreBoard, Inc.

Dear Mr. Comtois:

Forwarded are correspondence we have received for ScoreBoard, as follows:

Palacio & Asociados re Our Ref: SB14 Palacio & Asociados re Our Ref: SB05

Notice of Abandonment from USPTO re 09/896,155 (Our Ref: SB14)

You will note that both Palacio & Asociados letters are dated November 3, 2003 but were not received in our offices until December 3, 2003.

Sincerely,

Joyce Porter

jp Enclosures

cc: Mr. John Arpee



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APPLICATION NUMBER FIRST NAMED APPLICANT ATTY. DOCKET NO./TITLE FILING OR 371(C) DATE 09/896,155 06/29/2001 Eric Jensen **SB14 CONFIRMATION NO. 7420** ABANDONMENT/TERMINATION LETTER 23593 ZITO TLP RECEIVED 26005 RIDGE ROAD *OC000000011351433* IANE MORRIS. LLP **SUITE 203**

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